

Positive Alternatives 2016 - 17 Quarterly Update

Grantee (Name and city): Pregnancy Resource Center of Park Rapids Area

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Goal: To do all we can to encourage every expectant mother in our region to carry their baby to full term and to have the support and education they need to raise a healthy baby.

For the period/quarter: June 20-Sept.30, 2016, Quarter 1 **Vendor#**2855547

Activity or Service	Activity or Service Description Major Work Plan Activities	Work Plan Count	Program Progress and Accomplishments Report the progress and accomplishments made this period on each activity.	Report Count
Administrative Activities	Evaluate grant expenses Develop grant budgets and revisions Complete quarterly reports and invoices		We continue to evaluate grant expenses and submit monthly invoices, also complete and submit quarterly reports as needed.	
Outreach	Increase our advertising through the use of billboards, newspaper, etc Assemble welcome bags for our clients		We are currently working on increasing advertising in and around our community. We do have an ad that is seen at our local theatre. We had welcome gift bags made for our clients with daily essentials and even chocolate!	
Car Seat Program	Provide car seat education and testing for a new car seat	2	Car seat education was provided to two of our clients and one to a grandmother who is raising her grandson.	3

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Case Management Services	Provide follow-up to clients either by phone or in person visits	40	There were 7 in person visits made and thirty-nine phone calls made to follow-up and see how the clients are doing and if they need anything. They have stated that they really appreciate the follow-ups!	46
Ultrasound	Working with a local clinic to provide ultrasounds	1	We have an ultrasound machine at one of our medical clinics which is close by, so when the need arises our clients have access to that service.	4
Material Support	Provide material assistance such as diapers, maternity and baby clothes to pregnant and parenting women	30	We had thirty-two visits for material assistance this quarter. Our clients received diapers, formula, baby food, baby clothing, maternity clothing, toys, books and bedding.	32
Parenting, Pregnancy, Life Skills Education	Education covering Pregnancy, Parenting and Life Skills	15	We had ten clients working on pre-natal care, nutrition and child birth education. There were three clients that worked on child development/discipline and time management. See challenges.	13
Pregnancy Testing	Help to administer pregnancy tests.	5-6	We had six clients that requested a pregnancy test this quarter.	6
Provide Necessary Services to all clients	Staff provides clients only intake assessments, information on, referral to and assistance with securing necessary services	15	There were twenty-two clients who received information and or referrals during this quarter.	22

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Maternal and Child Health Initiative Task Force Strategies				No.
<i>Number of women who received car seats and car seat safety education from a PA funded program activity</i>				0
<i>Number of women who received car seat safety education only from a PA funded program activity</i>				3
<i>Number of women who received child abuse prevention education from a PA funded program activity</i>				1
<i>Number of women who received abusive head trauma (shaken baby) prevention education from a PA funded program activity</i>				2
<i>Number of women who received a baby bed, crib, or pack-n-play and sleep safety education from a PA funded program activity</i>				4
<i>Number of women who received sleep safety education only from a PA funded program activity</i>				2
Provide Necessary Services Assessments Only	Staff provides clients only intake assessments, information on, referral to and assistance with securing necessary services	3		

Challenges: Pregnancy, parenting and life skills; Our numbers were down slightly this quarter, usually due to lack of transportation.

Comments: